

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 7, paragraph [0015], please amend as follows:

~~In one embodiment, the~~ The information processor also has an operation adapting means for adapting an operation procedure to be executed by the operation procedure executing means to a current situation when as a result of the search by the broader concept searching means, a broader concept of a situation information piece on the current situation agrees with that of a situation information piece stored in the situation and operation storage means.

Page 10, paragraph [0024], please amend as follows:

An information processing system according to the present invention has a server and a portable terminal to communicate with the server, wherein

the portable terminal has:

a situation acquiring means for acquiring situation information about a situation in which an operation has been performed;

a situation and operation storage means for storing the situation information acquired by the situation acquiring means and operation information about the operation performed then in an associated manner; and

a situation comparing means for comparing a current situation information piece with situation information pieces stored in the situation and operation storage means; ~~and~~

~~an operation procedure executing means for executing an operation procedure according to an operation information piece stored in the situation and operation storage means on a basis of a result of the comparison by the situation comparing means, and~~

the server has:

a situation hierarchy storage means for storing the situation information acquired by the situation acquiring means in a hierarchical structure; and

a broader concept searching means for searching for a broader concept common to two situation information pieces compared by the situation comparing means on a basis of the situation information of the hierarchical structure stored in the situation hierarchy storage means, and

the portable terminal further comprises:

an operation procedure executing means for executing an operation procedure according to an operation information piece stored in the situation and operation storage means on a basis of a result of the comparison by the situation comparing means and a result of the search by the broader concept searching means; and

an operation adapting means for adapting an operation procedure to be executed by the operation procedure executing means to a current situation when, as a result of the search by the broader concept searching means, a broader concept of a situation information piece on the current situation agrees with that of a situation information piece stored in the situation and operation storage means.

Page 11, please amend paragraph [0026] as follows:

Also, an information processing method according to the present invention has:

a situation acquiring step of acquiring a situation information piece about a situation in which an operation has been performed;

a situation and operation storage step of storing the situation information piece acquired in the situation acquiring step and an operation information piece about the operation performed in an associated manner;

a situation comparing step of comparing a current situation information piece with situation information pieces stored in the situation and operation storage step;

~~an operation procedure executing step of executing an operation procedure according to an operation information piece stored at the situation and operation storage step on a basis of a result of the comparison done in the situation comparing step;~~

a situation hierarchy storage step of storing the situation information pieces acquired by the situation acquiring means in a hierarchical structure;

a broader concept searching step of searching for a broader concept common to two situation information pieces compared in the situation comparing step on a basis of the situation information of the hierarchical structure stored in the situation hierarchy storage step;

an operation procedure executing step of executing an operation procedure according to an operation information piece stored in the situation and operation storage step on a basis of a result of the comparison done in the situation comparing step and a result of the search done in the broader concept searching step; and

an operation adapting step of adapting an operation procedure to be executed in the operation procedure executing step to a current situation when, as a result of the search in the

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broader concept searching step, a broader concept of a situation information piece on the current situation agrees with that of a situation information piece stored in the situation and operation storage step.